GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6600
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INCLUSION OF CASTE IN ST LIST
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Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the demand for inclusion of Kurumba, Kurumbar, Kurumban, Kurubaand Kuruma communities in the ST list is pending with the Government;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the time by which the said communities are likely to be included in the ST list?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM)

(a) No Sir. The demand is under scrutiny by various authorities.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The process of revision of lists of Scheduled Tribes is on , however, no time frame can be given.